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1. An application for patent consisting of 26 pages of specification, including the claims and Abstract of the Disclosure, and 14 sheets of drawings is attached.

2. A Declaration and Power of Attorney is attached.

3. Small entity status is asserted in this matter.

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	Number Filed	Number Extra	Rate	
Basic Fee				375
Total Claims	43 - 20	= 23	x 9	= 207
Independent Claims	3 - 3	= 0	x 42	= 0
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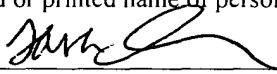
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